RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING

DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

MECHANICAL BOARD

1511 Pontiac Avenue

Building 70 – 2nd Floor Conference Room

Cranston, RI

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WEDNESDAY, October 5, 2005

9:00 A.M.

In attendance: Michael Carreiro

Chester Stewart

Peter Lombardi

Bobby Joe Harris

Frank Babbitt

John Webster

Board members Kenneth Aurecchia, Stanley Davies and Ronald Cronin are not in attendance for today's meeting.

There is a quorum – Mr. Babbitt called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

There are three (3) hearings scheduled today for which there is a board stenographer.

1. Carreiro & Carlson - Violation # 2422

The first appeal hearing today is with Carreiro & Carlson Mechanical Contracting Inc. Mr. Ted Carlson, RIDLT Investigators, Edward Whittaker and Charles Wright are present and sworn in by the board stenographer.

Mr. Whittaker read the violation: It is alleged that complaint has been received from the State of Rhode Island RI Energy Office that two (2) alleged employees (David J. Carreiro III and Tedd A. Carlson) of Carreiro & Carlson Mechanical Contracting, Inc., did install a domestic heating boiler on or about May 3, 2005 at 17 Frazier Lane, Tiverton, RI without valid RI Mechanical licenses. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-28 "Practices for which a license is required" (2 Violations). Carreiro & Carlson Mechanical Contracting, Inc., does not have a RI licensed Master Pipefitter listed in their corporation. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-6 "Corporations and firms engaged in business". Further, no permit was issued by the Town of Tiverton. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-20 "Municipal inspections and installation permits".

Based on the testimony provided today, Mr. Carreiro made a motion that Carreiro & Carlson Mechanical Contracting Inc., did violate RIGL

28-27-28 "Practices for which a license is required", did violate RIGL 28-27-6 "Corporations and firms engaged in business" and RIGL 28-27-20 "State and municipal inspections and installation permits" and to uphold the fines of \$500.00 for each violation. Mr. Stewart seconded the motion. All members voted in favor. Mr. Carreiro then made a motion that Carreiro & Carlson Mechanical Contracting Inc., did violate RIGL 28-27-28 "Practices for which a license is required" and to uphold the fine of \$500.00. Mr. Webster seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

2. GKT Refrigeration – Violation # 2427

Mr. Wright informed the board that this hearing has been postponed until the November meeting.

3. Standish Heating & AC - Violation # 2444

Mr. Wright informed the board that this hearing has been postponed until the November meeting.

This concludes the appeal hearings for today.

Mr. Babbitt asked if all board members had an opportunity to review the minutes of the September meeting. Mr. Webster made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Mr. Lombardi seconded the motion. All members voted in favor. Mr. Carreiro asked if the motions that were made by him at the September meeting be amended to include his exact words.

In other business Mr. Babbitt read a thank you note received by former board member Mickey Gill. Mr. Babbitt then informed the members of his decision to resign from this board effective immediately. He thanked all and stated that his tenure with this board has been enjoyable.

Mr. Wright stated that the Deputy Chairperson, Mr. Stanley Davies, will chair the next meeting and the board may elect a new Chairperson at that time.

With no further business, Mr. Webster made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:50 am. Mr. Lombardi seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

The next meeting of the Mechanical Board is scheduled for Wednesday, November 2, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. in Building 70, second floor conference room. Once again, board members are asked to remain after the regular meeting to conduct examination reviews from the October 27, 2005 testing.